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PART V.

'Season' Report for the Week ending with the 13th Saturday in 1923 (31st March 1923).

	District and Station	Rainfall up to 8 A.M. on Saturday										Price of food grains in seers per rupee and market fluctuations in prices of food grains			
		This week		Last ten years' average for the corresponding week		Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1923									
						This year		Average of past ten years		Excess (+) or defect (—) of column 4 compared with column 5					
	1	2		3		4		5		6		7			
		I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.		This week	Past week	Past ten years' fortnightly average
BANGALORE.	Bangalore C. & M. Station ...	0	00	Information not furnished.									Seers	Seers	Seers
	,, City & Taluk ...	0	00	0	16	2	17	0	65	+	1 52				
	Hoskote ...	0	00	0	24	1	05	0	59	+	0 46				
	Dodballapur ...	0	00	0	00	0	85	0	43	+	0 42	Rice, 2nd sort	4·25	4·25	7·00
	Nelamangala ...	0	00	0	05	0	79	0	43	+	0 36				
	Kankanhalli ...	0	00	0	03	0	29	0	73	—	0 44	Ragi	9·75	9·75	16·00
	Magadi ...	0	00	0	07	2	05	0	50	+	1 55				
	Channapatna ...	0	38	0	09	1	36	0	26	+	1 10	Kulthi	5·75	10·00	12·00
	Anekal ...	0	00	0	02	2	87	0	49	+	2 38				
	Devanhalli ...	0	00	0	18	1	89	0	75	+	1 14	Kadale	5·75	5·75	7·00
	Closepet ...	0	00	0	06	1	08	0	25	+	0 83				
	District average...	0	04	0	09	1	44	0	51	+	0 93				
KOLAR.	Kolar ...	0	00	0	15	0	76	1	51	—	0 15				
	Bowringpet ...	0	00	0	09	1	32	1	42	—	0 10	Rice, 2nd sort.	4·50	4·50	5·50
	Chintamani ...	0	00	0	17	0	33	1	07	—	0 74				
	Mulbagal ...	0	00	0	17	0	90	1	50	—	0 60	Ragi	10·00	9·00	12·50
	Sidlaghatta ...	0	00	0	15	0	40	1	14	—	0 74				
	Chikballapur ...	0	00	0	12	0	55	1	19	—	0 64	Kulthi	10·00	10·00	10·25
	Bagepalli ...	0	00	0	13	0	59	0	71	—	0 12				
	Goribidnur ...	0	00	0	02	1	10	0	57	+	0 53	Kadale	5·00	5·00	6·00
	Malur ...	0	00	0	12	0	91	1	09	—	0 18				
	Srinivaspur ...	0	00	0	10	0	39	1	45	—	1 06				
	Gudibanda ...	0	00	0	17	0	60	1	00	—	0 40				
	District average ...	0	00	0	13	0	71	1	15	—	0 44				
TUMKUR.	Tumkur ...	0	00	0	24	0	96	0	86	+	0 10				
	Maddagiri ...	0	00	0	02	1	10	1	24	—	0 14	Rice, 2nd sort.	5·00	5·00	8·00
	Chiknayakanhalli ...	0	00	0	22	3	39	0	86	+	2 53				
	Sira ...	0	00	0	09	0	43	1	07	—	0 64	Ragi	9·00	9·50	18·00
	Gubbi ...	0	00	0	09	0	48	0	63	—	0 15				
	Tiptur ...	0	00	0	21	3	11	0	48	+	2 63	Kulthi	9·50	10·00	18·00
	Pavagada ...	0	00	0	03	0	29	1	33	—	1 04				
	Kunigal ...	0	00	0	23	1	86	0	53	+	1 33	Kadale	5·00	5·00	8·80
	Koratagere ...	0	00	0	10	1	18	0	68	+	0 50				
	Turuvekere ...	0	00	0	12	0	00	0	70	—	0 70				
	District average	0	00	0	13	1	28	0	84	+	0 44				

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					This year		Average of past ten years		Excess (+) or defect (—) of column 4 compared with column 5					
1	2		3		4		5		6		7			
	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.		This week	Past week	Past ten years' fortnightly average
												Seers	Seers	Seers
MYSORE.														
Mysore ...	1	48	0	06	2	98	0	59	+ 2	39				
Chamrajnagar ...	0	00	0	16	0	20	0	55	— 0	35				
Seringapatam ...	0	00	0	18	0	94	0	87	+ 0	07				
Hunsur ...	0	18	0	30	3	22	1	13	+ 1	09				
Yedatore ...	0	78	0	31	1	62	0	82	+ 0	80	Rice, 2nd sort.	5·00	5·00	5·15
Heggaddevankote ...	0	67	0	39	1	52	1	13	+ 0	39	Ragi	9·00	9·00	13·00
Gundlupet ...	0	00	0	11	1	07	0	92	+ 0	15				
Nanjangud ...	0	00	0	10	1	54	0	77	+ 0	77	Kulthi	10·00	10·00	10·10
T.-Narsipur ...	0	00	0	06	1	72	0	53	+ 0	19				
Malvalli ...	0	08	0	06	0	74	0	28	+ 1	46	Kadale	4·40	4·00	5·14
Mandya ...	0	00	0	22	3	58	0	91	+ 0	67				
Krishnarajpete ...	0	00	0	23	1	27	0	86	+ 2	41				
Nagamangala ...	0	00	0	61	0	60	1	41	— 0	81				
District average...	0	25	0	22	1	62	0	83	+ 0	79				
HASSAN.														
Hassa ...	0	00	0	22	1	02	0	08	+ 0	06				
Manjarabad (Saklespur)	0	07	0	02	2	57	0	45	+ 2	12				
Arkalgud ...	0	00	0	04	3	24	0	64	+ 2	78	Rice, 2nd sort.	6·00	5·75	6·00
Belur ...	0	00	0	15	0	00	0	60	— 0	60	Ragi	10·00	10·00	14·00
Channarayapatna ...	0	00	0	03	0	53	0	57	— 0	04				
Arsikere ...	0	00	0	14	2	14	0	83	+ 1	31	Kulthi	10·00	10·00	12·00
Hole-Narsipur ...	0	00	0	24	1	77	0	62	+ 1	15				
Alur ...	0	00	0	11	0	43	0	66	+ 0	23	Kadale	5·50	5·00	6·00
District average...	0	01	0	12	1	48	0	68	+ 0	80				
SHIMOGA.														
Shimoga ...	0	40	0	03	1	36	0	67	+ 0	69				
Channagiri ...	0	00	0	02	0	45	0	43	+ 0	02				
Honnali ...	0	00	0	00	0	24	0	45	— 0	21				
Shikarpur ...	0	19	0	04	2	38	0	25	+ 2	13	Rice, 2nd sort.	5·50	5·50	6·18
Sorab ...	0	29	0	14	0	29	0	49	— 0	20				
Sagar ...	1	50	0	00	2	27	0	54	+ 1	73	Ragi	11·00	11·00	13·90
Nagar (Kallurkatte)...	0	71	0	13	1	58	0	46	+ 1	12				
Tirthahalli ...	1	59	0	08	2	54	0	45	+ 2	09	Kulthi	10·00	10·00	10·20
Kumsi ...	0	00	0	08	0	42	0	42	+ 0	00				
District average...	0	52	0	06	1	28	0	46	+ 0	82				
KADUR.														
Chikmagalur ...	0	00	0	21	0	00	0	78	— 0	78				
Kadur ...	0	00	0	04	2	40	0	53	+ 1	87	Rice 2nd sort.	5·50	5·50	5·00
Tarikere ...	0	00	0	16	0	24	0	73	— 0	49				
Koppa ...	0	27	0	02	1	66	0	64	+ 1	02				
Mudgere ...	0	05	0	05	1	30	0	57	+ 0	73	Ragi	10·00	10·00	11·00
Narasimharajapura ...	0	45	0	01	1	39	0	55	+ 0	84				
Sringeri ...	0	09	0	00	1	91	0	38	+ 1	53	Kulthi	10·00	10·00	8·00
District average...	0	12	0	07	1	27	0	60	+ 0	67	Kadale	7·00	6·50	6·00
CHITALDRUG.														
Chitaldrug ...	0	00	0	14	0	95	0	00	+ 0	05				
Challakere ...	0	00	0	13	0	81	0	73	+ 0	08	Rice, 2nd sort.	5·00	5·50	6·00
Hiriyur ...	0	00	0	34	1	29	0	91	+ 0	38				
Holalkere ...	0	00	0	13	1	04	0	91	+ 0	13	Ragi	12·00	12·00	14·00
Davangere ...	0	26	0	02	1	67	0	19	+ 1	48				
Molakalmuru ...	0	00	0	00	0	00	0	60	— 0	60	Kulthi	10·00	10·00	12·00
Jagalur ...	0	00	0	02	2	22	1	24	+ 0	98				
Hosdurga ...	0	00	0	08	1	70	0	64	+ 1	06	Cholum	11·00	11·00	13·00
Harihar ...	0	00	0	06	0	27	0	56	— 0	29				
											Kadale	7·00	6·00	4·00
District average...	0	03	0	10	1	11	0	75	+ 0	36				
Provincial average ...	0	12	0	11	1	27	0	73	+ 0	54				

NOTE—Rice (husked)—Oryza Sativa.
Ragi—Eleusine Coracana.
Kulthi—(Horse gram) Dolichos Biflorus.
Cholum—Sorghum Vulgare.
Kadale—(Bengal gram) Cicer Arietinum.

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DISTRICT REPORT.

8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. Prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, area affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.

11. Public Health.

12. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage of fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

Average for the past five years of the corresponding week.—

		Average.	*Current.*	
Prices of food grains.—Boiled rice (2nd sort)	...	4·70	5·17	Seers per rupee.
Ragi	...	9·67	9·28	

Agricultural operations.—Fields are being ploughed. The standing crops are fair. Cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are sufficient.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Nil.

Seeds sown.—Sugar-cane in Nelamangala and Anekal Taluks.

Standing crops.—Sugar-cane in all the taluks; paddy in Bangalore, Dodballapur, Channapatna and Anekal Taluks and mulberry in Devanhalli Taluk and Closepet Sub-Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Sugar-cane in Dodballapur, Nelamangala, Kankanhalli, Channapatna, Anekal and Devanhalli Taluks; ragi in Kankanhalli, Devanhalli Taluks and Closepet Sub-Taluk. Potatoes in Hoskote Taluk and paddy in Devanhalli Taluk.

Estimated yield.—Ragi, 8 to 12 annas in Kankanhalli Taluk and 12 annas in Devanhalli Taluk. Sugar-cane, 12 annas in Kankanhalli Taluk and 8 annas in Anekal Taluk and paddy 6 annas in Devanhalli Taluk.

Damages to crops.—Nil.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Food stuffs are available. Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

11. Public health is reported to be generally healthy, except for plague in parts of Bangalore, Hoskote, Nelamangala, Kankanhalli, Anekal, Devanhalli Taluks and in Closepet Town. Ordinary fever is reported from Bangalore and Anekal Taluks. Small-pox is reported from Kankanhalli Taluk.

12. Cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Seeds sown.*—Sugar-cane in parts of the Chintamani, Mulbagal, Bagepalli and Malur Taluks, and the Gudibanda Sub-Taluk.

Crops harvested and their outturn.—Sugar-cane in parts of the Bowringpet, Chintamani, Mulbagal, Bagepalli and Srinivaspur Taluks and the Gudibanda Sub-Taluk; yield 12 annas.

Standing crops.—Vaisakhi paddy and sugar-cane are reported to be in good condition.

10. Prospects of the season good. Prices of food grains stationary. Labour sufficient for cooly classes.

11. Public health is generaly good, except for plague in parts of the Chintamani, Sidlaghatta, Chikballapur and Goribidnur Taluks and the Gudibanda Sub-Taluk; relapsing fever in parts of the Bagepalli and Srinivaspur Taluks and the Gudibanda Sub-Taluk and cholera in a village of the Bowringpet Taluk are reported. Necessary action is being taken.

12. Cattle healthy. Pasture, fodder and water are available.